## Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

May 15, 2020

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi Speaker of the House U.S. House of Representatives H-232, The Capitol Washington, DC 20505-0001

Dear Speaker Pelosi:

As members of the House GOP Doctors Caucus, we urge you to reconvene the House to conduct in-person legislative business as soon as possible. Our country is facing an unprecedented crisis, and the American people are looking to Congress for leadership.

We look around the country and see the efforts of people in so many professions. Agricultural workers are ensuring we have an adequate food supply. Health care providers are providing critically-needed care. Sanitation workers are picking up trash. Delivery workers are enabling millions of Americans to stay at home. Public safety officials are working hard to ensure our communities are safe. Congress is essential to our country, just like these professionals.

With the resources available to safely return, there is no reason the House continue to work remotely. Caution can and should be taken; however, returning to work in person is both possible and prudent at this time. If essential workers across the country are expected to work during this pandemic, the House certainly should be expected to uphold its constitutional duty of considering legislation.

We urge you to resume in-person legislative business in the House as soon as possible, and we look forward to working with you to do everything possible that the American people see their elected representatives hard at work on their behalf.

Sincerely,

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